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MAURICE BELBER WEDS MISS DORIS CRITTENDEN

Well Known Resort Proprietor Takes Fair Bride at Quiet Ceremony in Healdsburg.

Maurice Belber, well known proprietor of "The Lark" has taken unto himself a mate and is now a married man. He was wed to Miss Doris Crittenden, a belle of San Francisco at the Plaza Hotel, Healdsburg, last week. Bill Hill, formerly of Boyes Springs and now of the Plaza did everything possible to give the wedding party a joyous time.

The honeymoon was spent on the Russian river and the newlyweds are now making their home at Agua Caliente.

The bride is a charming little woman and comes from a prominent family of the metropolis. Mr. Belber is the son of a well known family also, being a son of the well known Belber's maker of high class luggage in the East. He is lessee of the widely known resort at Agua Caliente.

HIGH SCHOOL CONTEST.

The schedules for several big school athletic contests have been announced as follows: Tennis, Sonoma vs. Analy Hi of Sebastopol, October 29th; Sonoma vs. Petaluma, October 22nd; Sonoma vs. Santa Rosa, October 15th. Basketball, Sonoma vs. Santa Rosa, Feb. 4th, Sonoma vs. Analy, January 14th, Sonoma vs. Healdsburg, January 21st, Sonoma vs. Cloverdale, January 28th.

OPEN SERVICE STATION

E. A. Hoyer for several years with the Associated Oil Company at Napa has moved to Sonoma and opened the former Broadway Service station opposite the High School. See adv.

CHARLES WHITMORE CROSSES GREAT DIVIDE

Passing Of Former Business Man And Prominent Mason At Family Home.

Charles Whitmore, former business man of Sonoma and prominent Mason died at his home south of town Tuesday following a long illness. Mr. Whitmore was stricken with paralysis some time ago and his death was not unexpected. He was 48 years of age.

Deceased came to Sonoma about 12 years ago from San Joaquin county and took an active interest in the poultry and egg industry in this valley. He was associated with Borson's store for some time and conducted an egg depot up to the time of his retirement from active business. He was a splendid business man and sterling citizen.

Mr. Whitmore was prominent in Masonic circles during his residence here and was Past Master of Temple Lodge. The funeral yesterday was under the auspices of the local Masons.

A widow and four children are left to mourn a kind husband and parent.

Mrs. P. Burg and Miss Thelma Berg of Alameda have been visiting Mrs. Berg's sister, Mrs. D. Hutton.

Thomas J. Willett of the Pacific Gas & Electric Company's construction department has been spending his annual vacation in Sonoma Valley amid the scenes of his boyhood. Tom is a valued employee of the company with headquarters in Oakland.

The Salvation Army Asks for Help. The acid test of every charitable organization is the character of its human relations with the folk to be helped.

Neal Dodge, Oakland agent for the Simmonizing process spent the week end here with his wife Gladys Simmon Dodge.

A marriage license was issued in San Francisco this week to Raymond Castex, formerly of Sonoma. Mr. Castex is in the insurance business and will be remembered here for his clever piano playing.

M. Tracy of Lovell Valley has moved into town with his family and is renting one of the Schocken houses. Attorney Frank Sprague, Dr. A. M. Thomson and Ed. Clements left this week for a hunting trip to Shasta county.

The Norrbom brothers and Postmaster John Wagoner have returned from a successful deer hunt in Trinity county. They killed two bucks.

Mrs. Tom Monahan has been the guest of Mrs. F. H. Buck at her fine ranch near San Jose.

Miss Catherine Monahan of San Francisco is up on a visit to her brother Tom.

Mrs. Rosa Randolph is contemplating a delightful family reunion with her sister recently arrived from Germany and her niece just here from the old country and now enroute from New York. Mrs. Randolph had not seen her sister for 20 years.

The little grand child of Louis Kunde of Glen Ellen suffered severe burns when she fell into the fire place at the Kunde home Wildwood this week. Her hands and arms were badly burned.

M. Kaplan, local merchant returned Thursday from a hurried trip East where he has visited the fashion centers.

N. S. G. W. PRESIDENT BANQUETED HIS OFFICERS

Philip Bill Jr. of Sonoma Parlor Is Host at Fine Dinner Wednesday.

Philip Bill Jr., president of Sonoma Parlor No. 111, N. S. G. W., gave a fine dinner to his fellow officers at his home in the Hyde tract last Wednesday evening. President Bill proved a genial host and the lucky dozen who partook of the fine menu provided declared that Mr. Bill and his good wife provided one of the best banquets in their memory. Hospitality was unbounded. The table was prettily decorated and covers laid for twelve. Over two hours were spent around the festive board and the Native Sons and their host found it almost midnight when they completed the ice cream and black coffee course. Those who enjoyed Mr. Bill's genuine old California hospitality were as follows: J. F. Prestwood, Paul Robin, Joe Kiser, L. H. Green, Al Groskopf, Ed Peterson, Fred Steurmer, N. Dal Pogetto, R. Pauli, Wm. Bosch, E. Revie and the host.

FIRE CHIEF'S BENEFIT IS TONIGHT

Testimonial To Geo. Cause of Boyes Springs Will Draw Big Crowd To Boyes Springs Theatre.

The benefit vaudeville show and dance for Chief Geo. Cause of the Valley, Boyes Springs Volunteer Fire Department, will be held tonight at the Boyes Springs Theatre. There will be attractive vaudeville acts, fire changing contest and dancing to the popular music of the "Syncopated Four" orchestra.

The Chief's record of efficiency and his enthusiastic service in the fire department where he serves without a cent of compensation led to the determination of his friends and admirers to give him a monster benefit and let the people of Sonoma Valley demonstrate their appreciation of his splendid work.

Not only has Mr. Cause fought fire and led his valiant crew to the scene of what might have been very costly conflagrations, but he has also gone out and collected the money for the purchase of two modern fire engines now affording protection to the entire valley. His initiative and devotion to the community is worthy of the highest commendation. Show your appreciation of Chief Cause by attending the benefit tonight.

EL VERANO IN THE DARK

Passengers arriving from points south of El Verano on the evening S. P. trains complain of the lack of light at the El Verano depot. Not only do travelers stumble around in the darkness and have a hard time to identify their baggage but it is hard for those meeting guests to recognize them after they have alighted from the train. As the winter approaches it will be worse unless the Southern Pacific takes cognizance of the situation and furnishes a few more kilowatts to illuminate the depot platform at train time. "It is all right for the moon to do its part in the Valley of the Moon," said a traveler the other night "but the moon is not always full even in Sonoma, sometimes it is under a cloud and frequently down to its last quarter. Anyone would think the S. P. was down to its last quarter the way the company is economizing on light."

It is to be hoped that El Verano, the coming oil producing center and main S. P. station in Sonoma Valley will be given necessary lighting facilities very shortly.

The deaf mute who was injured by a train near Wingo last week passed away at the railroad hospital in San Francisco Friday of last week. Lawson-Rimmer Optical Service at Simmons' Pharmacy on Oct. 3 and 17th.

Crepe Paper Hats Are Now all The Rage

ARE THE LADIES OF SONOMA AND VICINITY UP WITH THE STYLE LEADERS?

To encourage crepe paper hat making, which is interesting and most inexpensive, I am offering the following prizes for the best crepe paper hats:

FIRST PRIZE
\$2.00 in trade for the best hat made entirely of Dennison crepe paper.

SECOND PRIZE
\$2.00 in trade for the best hat made with Dennison Crepe paper and other material.

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\$1.00 in trade for the best hat made of any kind of crepe paper. All hats entered in the contest must be in my store at noon of October 30th. Prizes will be announced on Oct. 10th.

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BISHOP MORELAND SPEAKS HERE SUNDAY NIGHT

Will Hold Services In Trinity Church And Hopes To Revive Episcopalian Chapel In Sonoma.

The Right Reverend Bishop Moreland of Sacramento will hold services at Sonoma's Episcopalian chapel tomorrow (Sunday) evening at 8 o'clock and hopes to revive sufficient interest in the local Trinity chapel so that regular service each Sunday can be resumed. The Bishop who is an eloquent speaker will deliver a good sermon and a special Episcopalian choir from Vallejo will render music for the services at Trinity.

CHESTERS WATER MERGER ENCOUNTERS OBSTACLES.

The Sonoma Valley Water, Light & Power Company which is seeking to merge the Sonoma City Water Works and the Sonoma Vista Company and which was permitted on its showing before the Railroad Commission to issue \$100,000 of 8 per cent. cumulative preferred stock to be sold at not less than 80; all money paid for stock to be returned to subscribers in the event of a failure to carry out future plans" is having more obstacles thrown in its path. In the Santa Rosa courts last Monday, the bond put up by the company with Otto Wagner and Nellie O'Brien as sureties in the matter of the appeal taken from judgment in favor of T. F. Tierney was held to be insufficient, and the demurrer entered by Tierney's attorney to a counter suit filed by Chester et al was sustained.

The latest developments in the affairs of the water company are the withdrawal of the O'Brien ranch in the merger, and the reported addition of Otto Wagner and R. Emparan to the Board of Directors. Despite the stringent requirements of the Railroad Commission which makes it incumbent on the new company to deposit all proceeds from the sale of stock in a bank subject to expenditure upon authorization from the Commission and the understanding that the sale of stock is permissive only and not recommended or endorsed by the Commissioners, Mr. Chester declares that the conditions will all be met and the water merger absolutely be accomplished.

Glasses fitted on Oct. 3rd and 17th, Lawson-Rimmer Optical Co.

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LAWYER SUES FOR MOTHER IN ITALY

\$25,000 Damage Asked For Death of Caesar Acquistapace, Killed By S. P. Train.

E. B. Martinelli and son of San Rafael representing the aged mother of Caesar Acquistapace in far away Italy has brought suit to recover \$25,000 damages from the Southern Pacific railroad as aftermath of the accident last November which caused Acquistapace's death. He was driving an automobile from town to his dairy ranch on the Petaluma road and evidently tried to get across the track before the oncoming train reached the crossing. It was the old story. The engine struck the dairyman's car, carrying it along the track 200 yards and killing him instantly. A coroner's jury and board of inquiry exonerated the railroad of any blame.

In the settlement of the estate of the deceased which was being handled by public administrator Frank Phillips, the advice of Attorney Martinelli of Marin County was sought by J. Acquistapace, a brother and the attorney got into touch with the mother in Italy who is the nearest kin and heir of Caesar Acquistapace deceased.

The latest phase of the Marin county lawyer's handling of the Italian mother's affairs is the suit he has filed against the Southern Pacific.

The accident occurred near the Wm. Helberg place on the Petaluma road not far from the Acquistapace dairy ranch which is a valuable one. It was the former Jas. Tate property and was sold to the Acquistapace brothers for about \$30,000.

MRS. SHAW'S GRANDSON MAY ENTER WEST POINT

"Herbert H. Shaw, 18, son of Col. H. G. Shaw of the Presidio, has been selected by President Harding as one of his choice to take the examination for entrance to the United States Military Academy at West Point next year, according to word received here yesterday. Young Shaw graduated from Lowell high school in June and has since been studying in the hope of gaining a recommendation to West Point. He was a second lieutenant in the reserve officers' training camp at the Presidio. Lieut. Colonel Shaw, his father, is the attending physician of the ninth corps area of the army with offices in the Santa Fe building."

GOLF CLUB TAKES LEASE ON BIGELOW PROPERTY

Valley of the Moon Links Will Be Finest in State Declare Experts. Membership List Now Open.

Oak Lawn, the magnificent estate of J. K. Bigelow has been leased for several years for a golf and country club by a number of the leading citizens of the Valley of the Moon.

This is one of the greatest undertakings for the development of this section of the country that has ever been brought forward from a commercial as well as a social standpoint. The natural contour of the land for a golf course is unsurpassed. The grounds consist of 238 acres located on the county road between Sonoma and Glen Ellen. Professional golfers, after an inspection of these grounds, have been most enthusiastic over the natural facilities and are of the opinion that these acres will make one of the best golf courses in the United States.

The people of Sonoma Valley are awakening to the fact that golf is fast becoming a national sport, and they realize that with the completion of our highways and our new Golden Gate Ferry, they must be prepared to compete with other sections of the state and that a modern golf and country club is essential to the development of any locality.

Situated as it is in the heart of the Valley of the Moon, Oak Lawn is accessible from all points. The house sets well back from the road and is an ideal home for the club, surrounded as it is by shrubbery and beautiful lawns. The spacious rooms are handsomely furnished and the house is well equipped for club and social life. Mr. Bigelow has lately completed a modern tennis court at Oak Lawn which will be an added attraction for those who wish to indulge in this more strenuous sport.

This club will be conducted in such a way as to bring credit and fame to our valley. Great interest is being

EL VERANO EXCITED OVER OIL DISCOVERY

A. E. Joscelyn Has Specimens Of Petroleum Taken With Ladle From Hole On Old Craig Place.

A crude black liquid evidently highly impregnated with oil has been discovered seeping into several pits on the Craig place at El Verano owned by A. E. Joscelyn. For some time past the seepage was noticed but not until recent talk of oil and reports of geologists that Sonoma Valley was the heart of an oil bearing locality did Mr. Joscelyn pay much attention to his find. This week he took a number of prominent citizens to the creek where the oil is located and skinned up specimens of the inky fluid from pits where he has prospected. The oil has created the greatest interest and excitement and will be sent to a laboratory for analysis.

MAY LOSE HAND THROUGH BLAST

An employee of the State Industrial Farm at Buena Vista named Bigna who was blasting on the new water reservoir at the institution had his hand badly shattered Thursday when some giant powder exploded as he was examining a belated fuse. The injury was very serious and Dr. Hays had the sufferer taken to the Hahnemann hospital where Bigna is entitled to surgical care through state insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carner (Aletta Franquelin) have been visiting Mrs. Carner's mother on Riverside Drive, El Verano.

Harry Burmester is to enter the University of the Pacific at San Jose.

taken in the plans of this club and already many of our leading citizens have signed their intention to join. The membership list is now open.

Mr. Bigelow and family plan to travel extensively after giving up possession of Oak Lawn.

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THE HARVEST WE SHOULD REAP

THE PIONEER BOOSTERS of Sonoma Valley were our vineyardists and they boosted Sonoma grapegrowing as an industry worth while because it was builded on soil peculiarly adapted to natural pursuits. They grasped the fact that it was not every state nor every county in the state that could raise wine grapes. They demonstrated that vines rivaling those made in Europe could be made from these grapes. The vineyardist of the eighties transformed rocky hillsides and bare fields throughout Sonoma Valley into verdant vineyards. They joyed far more than they prospered in their work. The old days were lean days many of them with prices just fair and setbacks frequent. The vintage season however was always a glad one, for the vines laden with colorful fruit and the wine presses going around and the speculation as to offers and prices made the grape harvest one always to be looked forward to. A few of the growers may have glimpsed present day prospects and seen the coming of it when the fame of grapes grown in California should be made known beyond the limited coterie of foreigners and their friends within our Golden State, but it is doubtful, very doubtful if present conditions were dreamed of. The forward looking, keen visioned vineyardists of the last generation saw perhaps the future of California wine but it is not likely that they ever imagined anything like \$100 per ton for the raw material. The prohibition coup de etat wrought the publicity which heralded the fame of California wine grapes everywhere. The necessity created by Volsteadism ushered in the grape and raisin into millions of homes. The California vineyard has the old time apple cider backed off the map.

The pioneer viticulturalist may sigh at the relegation of the connoisseur, and denounce the substitution of crude harsh beverages for the finer things of which our grapes are capable, but the average present day grower has no regrets as he pockets his fat checks for his tonnage and either "makes his own" according to his taste or custom, or buys what he can well afford to—very often just gasoline for the family car.

The day of the wine grape is at its zenith, but we believe from now on prices will always be good (not as inflated perhaps as they have been the past two or three seasons, but much higher than they ever were before the miracle of prohibition publicity and days of bone dry necessity). Sonoma Valley with its climatic and soil adaptation for the production of grapes has a wonderful asset in its vineyards and grape lands. We should make the most and best of it. Let us follow up the publicity and fame which the "dry" era has unwittingly given us. Let us sing of our vineyards as they do of their orange groves in southern California, of their raisins in Fresno, their eggs in Petaluma, their oil in Maricopa. It is a rich opportunity. If we should be criticized for being opportunists we can point to the great American desert and chant with pride "there is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at the flood leads on to fortune."

A CHEAP TRICK

SANTA ROSA who courts we believe the sobriquet "the city of brotherly love" has a daily newspaper which enters the field of its neighbor Sonoma Valley and distributes free copies every morning. It is done we presume to bring Santa Rosa ads to the attention of the people down this way and get them to go to Sonoma Valley to spend their money. This kind of circulation is hardly fair to Sonoma Valley merchants and least of all to the local weekly newspaper whose field is invaded with competition not at all legitimate. However county seat journalism can never take the place of the home town paper and a local newspaper like the Index-Tribune is not hurt a whit by the discounting practice of the county seat contemporary. The principle of it however is manifestly unfair and it injures the value of all newspapers when they are thrown over gates and into doorways indiscriminately.

WE CONGRATULATE the Sonoma Valley Womens Club on its 20th anniversary. It is a matter of pride to the community that we have an organization which has had the stability to unite and co-operate on so many splendid projects throughout the many useful years since its founding. Long may it live and prosper!

ONE TIME PETALUMA was referred to as a jay town, now it is a hen town with a personal representative in London. Petaluma never sends in her card either—she just passes out an egg and everybody knows her.

THE GOVERNOR of New Jersey refers to the dry law as a flat failure. Grape growers think it is a pretty nicely inflated failure.

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VINEBURG NEWS

Lieut. and Mrs. Leland Volquardsen with their pretty little native daughter, of San Francisco are the week guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Volquardsen.

Louis Rouquie of Vallejo was a week-end visitor at his home in Vineburg.

George W. Reed, Sonoma's veteran station agent and one of its progressive citizens visited this vicinity on Monday.

Mr. William Dunn our well known orchardist transacted business in the metropolis this week.

Louis Klapperich, one of the state apple inspectors now stationed in Mendocino county motored to Vineburg on Saturday and was the guest of his family.

Messrs. Nicol and Liei who have purchased the Jake Mayer and Swedeborg places at Vineburg are making extensive improvements on their properties.

We have just receive a letter from Buddie Batto who is at the Summit and in it he says he is doing fine. He is learning to run one of the big Mogul engines and expects soon to be a "Master Mechanic." He sends best regards to all his friends.

Miss Adele Andreux, the well known and popular bookkeeper and cashier of John Batto & Sons, departed last Wednesday on a well earned vacation and while gone will be the guest of friends and relatives in the metropolis and bay counties. Her host of friends in Sonoma valley wish "Della" a pleasant trip and safe return home. During the young lady's absence her position will be filled by Mr. Frank Knolle.

Marshal Henry Forni informed the Box Car Improvement club that Vineburg can incorporate now as the jail is built and in case any "stewed" prohibition officers come nosing around sober Vineburg, he will put them in the jug.

Fred Batto on his last trip to the Summit visited and inspected the Bear Flag Gold Mine before it closed down for the winter. He reports the past season has shown good prospects and in the coming season powerful up-to-date mining machinery will be installed to work the mine. Mr. Batto returned with some fine specimens of gold and quartz from the mine to back his reports.

Our genial tonsorial artist Frank Allen has consented to be our city treasurer. Not for the salary, but for

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ON A VISIT HERE

O. F. Bean of Orland where he is in the hardware business has been here on a visit. Mr. Bean still owns his ranch here and likes Sonoma Valley so well that he sometime plans to return here to live. He is looking well and was greeted by many friends while in town.

DANCE TONIGHT

The Carneros Social Club will give another of their enjoyable dance tonight at the clubhouse on the Napa highway. It for the benefit of the Carneros school. Tickets \$1.10. Extra lady 25c Adv.

ENTERTAINED AUNT ON FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. George Leiser entertained their aunt Mrs. Emma Kopf, wealthy Santa Rosa and society matron last Saturday. It was the fifth anniversary of their wedding and Mrs. Kopf came down to congratulate the well known garage man and his wife and enjoy their company and that of their little son.

FEATHER WEIGHT CHAMPION IS PETALUMA

The steamer Gaslight sailed from this city Monday with an unusual cargo for she was loaded to the gunwales with feathers all nicely sacked and all feathers of Petaluma White Leghorn chickens. Where they were going and what use they are to be put to, was not known by the skipper and crew. In the past there have been smaller consignments of chicken feathers from this city to San Francisco by steamer and railroad, but this is the first whole steamer cargo of feathers that has yet come under the observation of the Argus water front reporter, and it is the first that yet noticed—Petaluma Argus.

The honor. That is right Frank for you will get more honor than salary believe me.

The angel of death has again hovered over our fair valley and removed from our midst a highly esteemed citizen, Charles A. Whitmore. All Vineburg extends its sincere sympathy to his bereaved family.

Cedric E. Cutter from all appearances is still in the dried apple business and his plant is running full blast, apples coming from every place and dried in up-to-date methods. Teddy knows his business.

Walter Murphy, editor of Sonoma Valley's pioneer paper, the Index-Tribune was a visitor in this section on Tuesday and all were glad to shake hands with Walt.

EASY JIM.

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Lv. San Quentin, 7:45, 9:15, 10:45 a.m. and 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 4:45, 6:15, 7:45, 9:15, *10:45 p.m.

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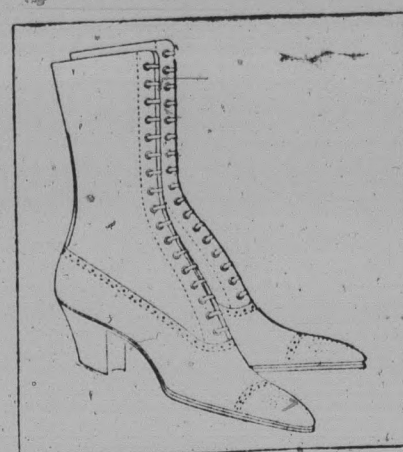
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The Salvation Army will conduct a special canvass in Sonoma county throughout all of next week—September 26th to Oct. 1st, inclusive—with a view to raising \$4,000.

Last Spring The Salvation Army asked the people of this county for \$8,000 and a regular Drive was conducted to get it. There was a marked scarcity of volunteer workers and as a consequence only \$4,000 was raised, so next week's effort is being put forward in the hope of wiping out this \$4,000 deficit.

The money is sadly needed.

Every penny of it is to be expended in Northern California and Nevada.

Part will go to the support of Lytton Home in Sonoma County for abandoned, orphaned and neglected children.

Part will go to the support of the large Maternity Home in Oakland for young unmarried girls who are about to become mothers.

Part will go to the support of the San Francisco Boarding Home for working girls.

Part will go to the support of the working men's lodging houses in San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento and other points.

Part will go to the support of the Army's prison activities.

Part will go to relief work among needy families.

Part will go to the maintenance of the Army's free employment bureaus for unskilled labor.

Are not there endeavors worthy of support?

All contributions, large or small, will be gratefully received by the workers who contemplate a door-to-door canvass.

If you made a contribution last Spring, won't you please make another one now if you can possibly afford it. The Salvation Army's need for funds never was more urgent.

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Boyes Springs, Cal., Sept. 20, 1921
Editor Index-Tribune,
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Friends:—Allow me space in your worthy paper to bring road matters before the people of this end of the Schellville-Santa Rosa state highway, not the Santa Rosa-Schellville state highway. At the meeting of September 15th, 1921 were able speakers—Senator, Assemblyman, newspaper men, lawyers and scholars. Now to begin with, I am neither, only a plain, common citizen, self-made. I note how the Schellville Santa Rosa highway was given the go-by and Santa Rosa Schellville highway was kept to the front. There are sufficient funds to build "one mile out of Santa Rosa on this Santa Rosa Schellville highway then later on to Kenwood," and stop there why? Are they still undecided as to the route. It looks very much like this end of the highway is to go unkept indefinitely or until our good neighbors or educated ones get ready. Shall we sleep on, and stand for this? I say no! We also have a New City, Sonoma. We are proud of her and will be all the more from day to day, while she is dressing up in the best of silks. We will co-operate with her and the rest of Sonoma Valley in standing up for our rights. We demand the money be spent at this end of the Schellville Santa Rosa state highway, as per original plans. This game of boys' play has been going on for a considerable time—I say boys play, surely it is none other. The "boys" men of this end should revolt and claim their rights, demand fair play. It is now high time to cease their grabbing or whatever you wish to call it. The money was long set aside for this highway and if used otherwise we wish it replaced. Our roads are the talk of everyone from various parts of the state. In my old days have seen and helped to keep up in different counties good plain roads, now in my young days it jars me to see this boy's play. Where does the trouble lie? Why not give the devil his dues and act square and fair? This may open the eyes of some and arouse them from their slumber. I for one am never asleep on any of my jobs. Give us fair play—that's all we ask. Respectfully,
The "Old Boy" of Boyes Springs,
J. W. MINGES.

Dear Editor:—

Will you please try and enlighten me on this vexatious prohibition question. One minute we are told we can make family wine and the next we are told we will land in jail if we do. I believe we will all land in the bug house if they keep up their foolishness. What kind of results in law observance can they hope to get when they don't seem to know the law themselves. The reason they can't interpret the law is that it is too foreign to the principles of American.

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One of Sonoma's main thoroughfares, Broadway is the first unit of the new concrete streets to be thrown open to traffic. On Monday it was cleared off and is now in use from the High School to the Sonoma Valley Bank.

Concrete has also been poured on three sides of the plaza and in three weeks the entire job throughout town will be completed. The streets will all be in use a month later.

MRS. R. L. WATT AND MRS. KEISER HOSTESSES AT CLUB

Mrs. R. L. Watt and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Joe Keiser were hostesses at the Womans Club 20th birthday anniversary Friday of last week. They are among the Womans Clubs most loyal members and did themselves proud on the happy occasion of the club's birthday. A wonderful cake with candles, delicious coffee and several kinds of confectionery were served by these hospitable matrons and several charming assistants.

ca to be interpreted. Why, even serfs or slaves if given orders like we that are changed or retracted every day or so could not be made to obey. It is demoralizing to law and order.

If we can't make the wine for family use the bootlegger will keep on getting rich and he driving finer cars than ever. I was going to make my own but now the government has held up my plans so the bootlegger will hold me up for about 2.50 per gallon for the wine I drink with my meals. I am an old man and have had it all my life and will not be denied it now. I hope Uncle Sam will get wise pretty soon and cut out this bunch that is making a travesty of our great freedom.

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BENCH WARRANT FOR BOOTLEG ACCUSER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—Failing to appear in United States Commissioner Francis J. Krull's court to substantiate charges he made against four alleged members of a bootleg syndicate last week, Henry F. La Peer, self-reputed millionaire shipbuilder, who accused the "whiskey ring" of fleecing him out of \$100,000 today is being sought on a bench warrant.

When the four defendants were arrested following raids on their respective homes by prohibition enforcement officers on the strength of the information furnished by La Peer, the latter was not to be found.

His failure to appear prompted a statement from Commissioner Krull intimating that he suspected chicanery and would not let the matter rest until it had been thoroughly investigated.

The four defendants, David Roberts, employee of the Western Investment company, 948 Market street; Jack Wise and Dan Kukaviza, joint proprietors of a soft drink resort at 300 Earkin street and John Kukaviza, brother of Dan, living at 1017 Twelfth street, Oakland were in court.

MRS. VAN AMRINGE RESIGNS

Mrs. Mary Van Amringe of Geyersville, widow of a former Sonoma dentist, and acting postmistress at Geyersville has resigned her position on account of ill health.

PALACE GARAGE SOLD CARS THIS WEEK.

G. Verbeck and Theo Pierson of Vineburg, purchased Dodge cars this week from the Palace garage and Messrs. Griffith and Boccoli made prompt delivery of them.

REWARD OUT FOR SLAYER.

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